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The Honorable Hillary Rodham Clinton Secretary of State United States Department of State 2201 C Street, NW Washington, DC 20520

Dear Madam Secretary,

I ask that you consider halting the planned delivery of twenty F-16 fighter jets to Egypt until further review of this transfer can occur.

As part of a \$1 billion foreign aid package concluded with former President Mubarak, the United States is providing Egypt with a total of 20 of the most up-to-date F-16 fighter jets. On January 22, 2013 the first four jets will be delivered to Egypt.

In light of the ongoing instability, aggression towards Israel, President Morsi's dictatorial decree, and absence of a constitution and parliament, this delivery should be stopped and subject to further review.

Until Egypt is able to establish democratic parliament and ensure stability in the country, the delivery of F-16s to Egypt should be postponed for further review. I look forward to your response.

Sincerely.

James M. Inhofe
United States Senator